

STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

WHEREAS: The United States Mint America the Beautiful Quarters ® Program circulates quarters

emblematic of a national park or other site in each state, the District of Columbia, and

five United States territories; and

WHEREAS: The Voyageurs National Park quarter is the forty-third released into circulation as part

of the program; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota is home to a community of dedicated teachers who will use the release of the

Voyageurs National Park quarter as an opportunity to bring further knowledge and

appreciation of the park into the classroom; and

WHEREAS: The America the Beautiful Quarters ® Program features online lesson plans with a series

of interactive and educational tools for students, from kindergarten through high school,

found at www.usmint.gov; and

WHEREAS: On June 14, 2018, at 11:00 am (CT), a ceremony will be held at the Irv Anderson

Amphitheater in International Falls, Minnesota to commemorate the release of the

Voyageurs National Park quarter into circulation.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Thursday, June 14, 2018, as:

VOYAGEURS NATIONAL PARK QUARTER DAY

in the State of Minnesota.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this lst day of June.

GOVERNOR

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SECRETARY OF STATE